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FM AMEMBASSY KUALA LUMPUR

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 2780

INFO USIA WASHDC

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E.O. 11652: NA

TAGS: ASEC

SUBJ: SECURITY COSTS IN MOVE TO LCC

REF: USIA 7314-C

1. POST HAD NOT DECIDED TO MOVE ANY ELEMENTS FROM 10TH FLOOR AIA BUILDING TO LINCOLN CULTURAL CENTER PRIOR TO JAPANESE RED ARMY ATTACK. AFTER NEW SECURITY SPACE PLAN IN EMBASSY WAS DEVELOPED, HOWEVER, AND USIS GAVE UP SOME 28 PCT OF ITS PREVIOUS SPACE, OBVIOUSLY IT BECAME NECESSARY TO MOVE CERTAIN ELEMENTS TO LINCOLN CENTER; FILM LIBRARY AND PHOTO LAB, ALONG WITH THE EMPLOYEE RESPONSIBLE FOR THEM BECAME MOST LOGICAL OPERATIONS FOR THIS MOVE. FOLLOWING IS BACKGROUND:

2. SIX MONTHS OR MORE PRIOR TO THE JRA ATTACK, IN EFFORT TO HELP EMBASSY WITH SPACE PROBLEM, PAO CONSIDERED MOVING FILM LIBRARY TO LCC. BUT THIS WAS CONTINGENT ON AGENCY AUTHORIZING CONSTRUCTION TEMPORARY STRUCTURE FOR MULTIMEDIA PROGRAMS AT LCC WHICH WAS NOT APPROVED. THERE WAS NEVER PLAN TO MOVE PHOTO LAB BECAUSE OF CONSIDERABLE COSTS INVOLVED.

3. THUS MOVES OF FILM LIBRARY AND PHOTO LAB WERE UNDERTAKEN AS RESULT OF NEW SECURITY REQUIREMENTS IN EMBASSY. AGENCY WAS ALERTED TO THIS PROBABILITY IN KUALA LUMPUR 4774 AUG. 13, 1974.

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RECAP OF FUNDS EXPENDED FOR THESE PURPOSES FOLLOWS:

AIR CONDITIONING	\$1202
ELECTRICAL WORK	4221
DARKROOM INSTALLATION	920
PAINTING	465
CARPENTRY	388
	\$7196

RSO CONCURS THAT THIS AMOUNT WAS EXPENDED AS A DIRECT RESULT
OF EMBASSY REORGANIZATION TO IMPROVE SECURITY POSTURE OF MISSION.
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